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Milwaukie's Local Leaders

Providing more than meals

Linda Gatchel's Sundays typically start at about eight in the morning.

That's when she starts preparing the vats of soup that will be served later on in the day to the hundred or so people who have a hard time providing for themselves. And for Linda, things don't really slow down all that much after that.

"Once those doors open at 2:15 p.m. you don't breathe," Linda said. "It really is hectic, but it's the kind of tired that makes you feel good. It's the kind of work that needs to be done."

Linda's been doing this work ever since St. John the Evangelist Episcopal Church began its Feed the Hungry program eight years ago.

Feed the Hungry was designed to fill in the gap that existed among other regional programs that provided hot meals throughout the week and on Saturdays, but not on Sundays. Now anywhere from 100 to 160 disadvantaged people can visit St. John's church and sit down to a warm and nutritious meal.

And as Linda explains it, the folks who visit on Sundays receive a lot more than a hot meal.

"It feels good to see these people come in hungry and tired and know they will have a sit down meal," she said. "The youth of the community volunteer as servers and treat them as guests in a four star restaurant."

Linda, her husband of 21 years, and her three teenage boys all participate in the program, and she says Feed the Hungry serves more populations than just the homeless.

"A large population are the elderly that still have a home but their welfare checks don't get them through the month or aren't well enough to prepare



Gatchel, her husband and her three boys have been volunteering for the Feed the Hungry program for eight years

Linda

their own food," Linda said. "And we really have a lot of families that come in every Sunday."

It takes about 25 volunteers to op-Please see **Feed the Hungry** on page 4

Decision on Urban Forestry Program tabled

In light of widespread public testimony discouraging adoption of the proposed Urban Forestry Program, Council decided to table the decision until September at its March 21, 2000 meeting.

Between then and now, Council will meet with City staff at a Work Session scheduled for May 1, 2000 to reevaluate the goals and strategies of the Urban Forestry Program, and to discuss ways to incorporate the concerns raised by the public.

Planning Director Alice Rouyer explains that there are a couple different options to pursue, and that after that Work Session, the Urban Forestry Program's objectives will be more clearly defined

Alice says the Program could focus on tree preservation in the right of way,

on public property or on private property.

The vast majority of public input opposed an ordinance that regulated private property.

As Alice explains it, the Forestry Program presented in March primarily focused on tree preservation, but that future iterations may include heavier education and outreach components.

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Town Hall looks at Junior High

More than 70 Milwaukie citizens turned out to discuss what they would like to see done with the Milwaukie Junior High site and its surrounding grounds at the City's eighth Town Hall on April 5, 2000.

Three general options were laid out before the attending residents by George Crandall and Don Arambula, the principal consultants of the Downtown Riverfront project.

The first suggested creating a com-

munity center at the site, another option suggested using the space for consolidating City offices, including expansion of the Ledding Library. A third option, the 'do-nothing' alternative, indicated the likelihood of a private sector purchase of the property, which is currently zoned for office, business or residential uses.

The majority of citizens in attendance strongly supported maintaining the

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What you've told us: results from City-wide survey

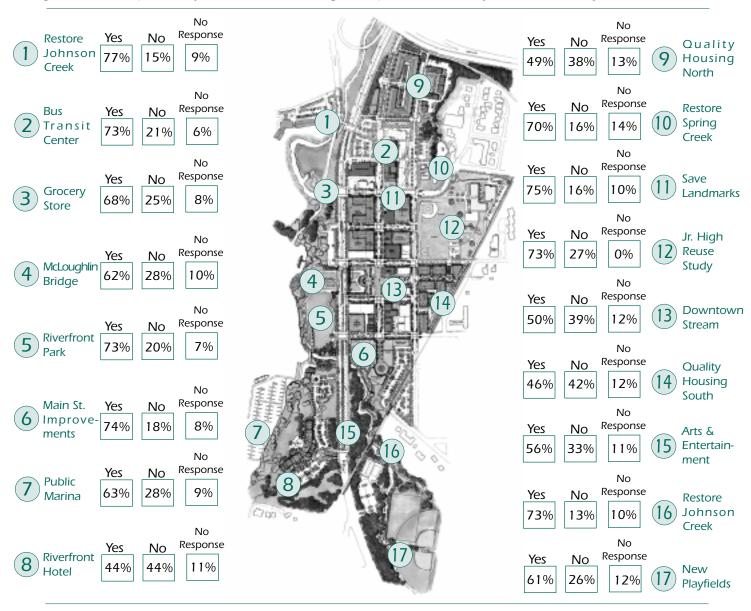
In February, every household or business in the city received a copy of the draft Downtown Riverfront plan. You may remember the poster that came in the mail with a response card, asking you to tell us what you thought of the Draft plan. Many citizens

helped to draft the plan over the last several months through a series of Town Hall and Riverfront Board meetings.

We would like to thank everyone for the efforts they've contributed to the Draft plan and for the great response to the survey.

We received 1,162 responses - which is a 7% response rate... quite high for a mail survey! Your response tells us how much you really care about how the heart of the City takes shape.

Here is what you told us...



Overall, the plan received an average 64% approval rating by respondents. This tells us that people generally like the direction it would take the downtown and riverfront over the coming decades. It also helps us to understand which aspects of the plan people are most concerned about.

As we work toward adoption of the plan we will have to address the important questions you raised:

- How do we relocate a sewage treatment plant?
- What will the impact be to the taxpayer?
- Can a public marina and a hotel be de-

veloped in a way that preserves adjacent neighborhoods, ensures public access to the river and doesn't harm the environment?

- How do we ensure that any additional housing in the downtown enhances the quality of our housing stock without increasing our parking and congestion problems downtown?
- And perhaps, most immediately, can we devise an affordable strategy for saving and maintaining landmarks and special spaces like the Junior High site?
 Please stay involved and continue to con-

tribute your comments and questions. The Downtown Riverfront planning documents will be going before the Planning Commission for review and adoption over the next few months. Then it will go to the City Council for final adoption.

Important Dates to Remember

Open House: May 31 at 6:30 p.m., Milwaukie H.S. Commons

Planning Commission Public Hearing: June 27 & July 11, 6:30 p.m., Milwaukie City Hall **City Council Public Hearing**: Tentatively

August 29, Milwaukie City Hall

Museum holds Open House

Just who are these Kelloggs, anyway? Run an errand in Milwaukie and you'll probably roll by Kellogg Creek or Kellogg Lake and see a road sign for Kellogg Creek Drive all in the same trip. So what kind of role did the Kelloggs play in Milwaukie's early development?

You can find out by visiting the Milwaukie Museum located at 3737 SE Adams during the museum's annual Open House on Friday, May 12, 2000 from 3 to 8 p.m.

For the past four years the Museum has held a special Open House to give people an opportunity to visit the museum who might not be able to drop by during its regular hours of operation. The Museum is regularly open from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturdays.

So take advantage of the evening hours on May 12, and visit the Museum and learn how the Kellogg family influenced your community.

Market ready

Last year's Sunday Farmer's Market was a tremendous success. With every passing Sunday last summer, the number of vendors that filled the parking lot across from City Hall and the number of residents that visited those vendors only grew larger and larger.

Organizers predict that trend will continue when the Farmer's Market kicks off the 2000 season on May 21.

Right out the gates 12 to 15 vendors will be on hand selling plants and garden wares like windsocks and yard decorations. As summer progresses, more produce vendors will enter the mix.

Like last year's market, live entertainment and bocce ball matches will be featured every week. The market will open at 10 a.m. and run until 2:30 p.m. every Sunday through Oct. 15, 2000.

Because the Farmer's Market is completely run and managed by volunteers, organizers hope residents will chip in a couple hours of their time in helping each event run smoothly.

Those interested are asked to call Jack Elder of the Milwaukie Downtown Development Association at 653-0378.

City launches its Web Site

By the time residents of Milwaukie receive this edition of the Pilot the City will have launched its City Web Site.

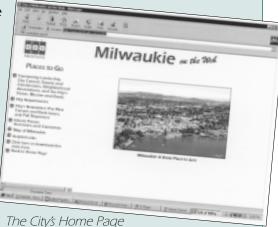
This site was designed to meet several basic goals. One was to provide a wide-range of information about City departments, Neighborhood Associations, programs and issues in a quick and efficient matter.

On the City's Web Site citizens will be able to find contact information for every City department, the names and numbers of Neighborhood Association Officers and a range of information about the more pressing issues facing the City.

The second objective was to create another channel of communication between the residents and their local government. The site will have a Citizen Forum that will allow residents to weigh in on a Citizen Opinion Poll, and submit questions and comments via email.

The site is young and is considered a work that will continually be in progress. The City hopes that the citizens will shape the Web Page's progress with their opinions and comments.

So please take a look at the site at www.cityofmilwaukie.org, and if you have any recommendations call Milwaukie's Information Specialist at 786-7503.



Budget Committee looking closely

On May 11, 2000 at 6 p.m. in City Hall the Budget Committee is expected to finalize the City's budget and send it on to Council for its final consideration.

This May 11 meeting will mark the seventh time the citizen-based committee has assembled to analyze the numbers and consider public comment.

As Finance Director Jan Gehlen explains it, the Committee broke the budget into several different pieces, and analyzed and received public comment on each.

Some of the sections that got a closer examination; the Management Budgets, the Public Safety Budget and the Junior High Project Budget.

After the Budget Committee makes its recommendation, the Council will review the Budget and have another public hearing. This meeting is expected to take place in June.

Zoning changes proposed

Making the Downtown and Riverfront Plan a reality will require changes in the City's zoning and codes.

These changes will include design guidelines and development standards that will shape the appearance of new development and our Downtown's streetscape.

Adopting these amendments requires the modification of the Comprehensive Plan, the Regional Center Master Plan, and the Zoning Ordinance. Because of these changes, Measure 56 notices will be sent to property owners in the affected area on May 18, 2000 to let citizens know such zoning revisions are being proposed.

A two-month public process will be set in place so citizens can review, comment on and affect these regulatory products. On May 31 an Open House will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the Milwaukie High School Commons showcasing the proposed changes.

Public Hearings at Planning Commission and City Council Meetings are set for June, July, August and September. If you have questions about the proposed code changes, contact Alice Rouyer, Planning Director at 786-7654.

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Join the Milwaukie Green Corps

The City is very fortunate to own several sites that qualify as natural areas.

But these sites require on going maintenance, and currently, there are only but a few dedicated volunteers who commit hours and hours of their own personal time to groom and maintain these wetland and natural areas. The question is, are there more people out there who are willing to help out?

The City thinks so, and that's why it's developed the Green Corps program. Green Corps members will be the oncall volunteers at the front lines working in the City's natural areas keeping them viable natural habitats.

If you're interested in signing up for the Green Corps, please call Program Services Coordinator JoAnn Herrigel at 786-7508. □

Arbor Day celebration event a success

Ardenwald and Johnson Creek Neighborhood residents, Milwaukie City Councilors and City Staff all came out on a beautiful Saturday afternoon on April 6, 2000 and planted three Red maples in celebration of Arbor Day in Ardenwald Park.

The event is part of the city's effort to partner with different Neighborhood Associations to encourage more tree plantings in the community.

It is hoped that such events will create a greater awareness of the many benefits planting trees provides.

Arbor Day is a nationally celebrated observance that encourages tree planting and tree care.



Mayor Carolyn Tomei and Ardenwald and Johnson Creek Chair Darlene Walsh take the first shovel fulls on Arbor Day

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building as a community center and the grounds for playfields and a public swimming pool.

This option presents the greatest public financial challenge of all three and financing the site was a primary concern among those in attendance. Citizens wanted the City staff and Budget Committee to investigate a variety of options before committing to a bond measure.

The Budget Committee will have reviewed all the options available for financing the purchase of the site with existing resources at their April 24th budget meeting. The City Council will have to determine whether or not to issue a bond by June 6th, if it is to be on the November ballot. At the time of print,

these meetings had not yet occurred.

Very rough estimates for a bond to purchase and properly rehabilitate the site range from 8.5 to 11 million dollars. That can be summarized as follows: If you owned a \$150,000, your taxes would increase anywhere from \$118 to \$173 a year for 15 to 20 years, depending on the extent of the remodel and the ability to offset costs with tenancy agreements. Numbers will become more refined as it is learned which stakeholders will be occupying the building.

The City has received several applications from community-oriented organizations interested in leasing space. North Clackamas School District owns the property and is proceeding with plans to sell it.

Election season begins

Even though elections won't be held until fall, now is the time for interested candidates to begin thinking about gathering signatures and turning in petitions.

There are three different positions to consider. One's for interim position No. 3 that will extend between Oct. 3, 2000 and Dec. 31, 2000, and then there's the full term positions for Councilor position No. 1 and No. 3.

Candidates need to be qualified electors, a Milwaukie resident for six months prior to the respective election, and must turn in petitions with the signatures of 20 qualified Milwaukie electors.

Councilor Position No. 3, Interim

Petitions for the September 19, 2000 Special Election will be accepted between June 9 and July 11, 2000.

Councilor Position No. 1 and No. 3

Petitions for the Nov. 7, 2000 General Election will be accepted between July 28 and August 29, 2000.

If you have nay questions, contact City Recorder Pat DuVal at 786-7502.

Help Master Plan a park

The City of Milwaukie recently purchased a parcel of land at the intersection of 37th and Railroad Avenues.

An advisory committee has been working on a Master Plan for enhancing this natural area just north of the Minthorn Spring Wetland. A meeting to discuss the plan will be held May X at City Hall. Please call Program Services Coordinator JoAnn Herrigel at 786-7508 for more information.

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erate the program every Sunday. Responsibilities include everything from cooking, serving, decorating the tables and cleanup.

Feed the Hungry draws on a pool of about 100 volunteers, but it's always looking for additional help.

If you're interested in volunteering or making a donation, please call Feed the Hungry's hotline at 654-7424.

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AROUND TOWN

LEWELLING

NEXT MEETING'S INFO: When: May 4, 7 p.m.

Where: Lewelling Elementary Library



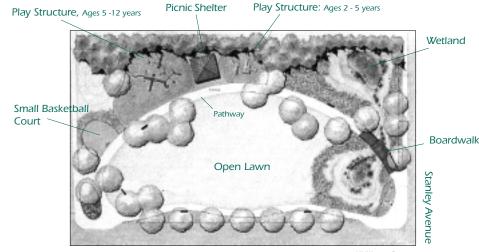
With donated materials from Milwaukie businesses, Art Ball (left) and Jean Michel constructed several benches nearly from scratch

The Lewelling Neighborhood Association has approved the Master Plan for the park at Willow Street and Stanley Avenue, and the Plan will now be forwarded on to the Planning Commission and City Council for adoption. As illustrated below, the plan features several wetland and natural areas in addition to more traditional elements like a basketball court and play structures.

At the April 6, 2000 Lewelling Neighborhood Association we had several City

representatives who made brief presentations

Paul Roeger, Civil Engineer of Milwaukie, explained the need for changes on a few addresses on residential properties, and Steve Campbell, the Code Compliance Specialist for the City of Milwaukie, spoke about several of the cases he's working on in our Neighborhood. Steve made it abundantly clear that he is available to the public at any time. His number is 786-7545.



Willow Street

LAKE ROAD

Written by Teresa Bresaw, Lake Road Co-Chair

NEXT MEETING'S INFO: When: May 18, 7 p.m. Where: Rowe Middle School

Our next meeting will include officer elections for the year. Patti Wisner says she'll be unable to be cochair because of work obligations. Coming to our meetings is a good way to meet others, discuss ways to improve our neighborhood, and add our Lake Road neighborhood perspective to City government.

We also need participation for the parade for Festival Daze and will have a sign up sheet. We're also looking for suggestions on properties in our neighborhood that need sprucing up. We have available grant money to do some exterior work like weeding, edging, bark dusting, planting etc. If you have available materials to donate and/or some spare time (1-2 hrs) to do the work, we'd like to hear from you.

We had Ray Polani speak on another

transit alternative for getting some of the cars and busses off the road. His organization thinks the rail lines are underutilized and could support commuter rail from Lake Oswego through Milwaukie to S.E. Portland and then connect to the new commuter rail in Beaverton. I can't help but think this could be a reality in the future, when I consider three things: increasing population, an underutilized rail system, and the tendency for history to repeat itself.

Terry Gustafson, candidate for District Attorney, spoke about the changes she's helped create in her office. My own impression was that she has plenty of conviction and gumption, two necessary characteristics in her profession.

Clackamas County Education Service is appealing the council's decision with the Land Use Board of Appeals (LUBA) to be allowed to move into the church site on 40th Avenue and Lake Road. The council seems to be reversing their decision by going through a mediation process with ESD. The neighborhood association contends the increased traffic

presents an unacceptable safety hazard to pedestrians and bicyclists.

The City on the other hand is hoping the newly generated traffic can be controlled so they won't have to go through the LUBA process. Making Lake Road safe to more traffic involves an expensive plan that would widen the road to add turn lanes, bike lanes, and sidewalks. This involves taxpayer money and taking people's property to widen the public right of way. This may not be a popular option.

Once the City lets ESD move into the site, than there's no going back. Some responsibility for reduced

safety and the resulting consequences will lie with our City government.

If you have opinions or want to know their decision, call your City Council.



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AROUND TOWN

HISTORIC MILWAUKIE

Written by Ed Zumwalt, Historic Milwaukie Chair

NEXT MEETING'S INFO: When: May 11, 7 p.m.

Where: Milwaukie Elementary

Our Secretary-Treasurer Sharon Phillips has been active in organizing an



Milwaukie residents look at some old photos and exchange some memories at a Oral History meeting held in City Hall

Oral History Project in our Neighborhood. At meetings on January 19 and March 15, 2000, more than 40 seniors gathered to see old friends and listen to each other's memories.

Our Neighborhood has started taping senior memories, beginning a library that will be invaluable to future generations. It is an exciting project, and if any readers are interested, call Sharon Phillips at 653-8926.

Because of deadlines, this is being written before our April meeting, but I'll tell you about it anyway.

We're having as guests several politicians who will tell us what's wrong with government and how they'll fix it. Because of the unstable personalities involved, we'll have beefed-up security; hopefully there won't be any serious problems.

We are in the preliminary stages of developing a new committee: Save Our Sewage Treatment Plant, or SOSTP. This group will be dedicated to preserving this facility not only for its present function, but for its historical significance.

Twenty-five years ago county officials convinced our City leaders of two

things:

1. We would be doing our regional duty by accepting the sewage treatment plant. 2. Outhouses have no odor.

Boy, we sure fooled them.

With a little sprucing up, this plant could be downright attractive, and it's a perfect site for a plumbing museum. We could call it "Commodes Thru the Ages" and charge an admittance fee, profits going toward our Downtown and Riverfront Development.

Perhaps the most exciting aspect would be the advent of Toilet Seat Distance Throwing and Horseshoes during "Festival daze." This would develop into an international competition, attracting athletes worldwide.

Wind-surfing revitalized Hood River; Toilet Seat Competition could do the same for Milwaukie.

Envision our City lined with stores selling specialized, hand-carved, ornamental toilet seats — it would perfectly fulfill our City's niche of "Arts and Entertainment."

Remember, as long as we have the sewage treatment plant we'll always know which way the wind is blowing.

ARDENWALD/JOHNSON CREEK

Written by Sherri Campbell, Ardenwald and Johnson Creek Secretary

NEXT MEETING'S INFO: When: May 9, 6:30 p.m. Where: Ardenwald Elementary Child Care Available

Our Earth Day celebration on April 8, 2000 was a big success! We hauled away nine dumpsters of Ardenwald's metal, yard debris, and garbage in less than three hours.

We asked for \$2.00 donations and at the end of the day we raised \$230 for Ardenwald Elementary School. Neighborhood Chair Darlene Walsh has put this event together the last two years with Metro and Milwaukie Grant money, and we want to thank her for the effort, and also thank all the neighbors, teachers and City employees who helped out in making this Seventh such a success.

At our April 11, 2000 Neighborhood Association Meeting, Susan Finch from Metro talked to us about the transportation study that's examining the South Corridor.

This study examines how we can be best served by mass transit, how to alleviate congestion, how we can maintain our neighborhood and how transportation impacts downtown livability. Some of the transportation alternatives that are under consideration are bus lanes, commuter rail, river transit, tolls and interurban transportation.

It looks like we will be having quite a few street improvements this summer. Roswell Street will receive sidewalk and storm drain repairs starting after school lets out in June.

In other news, the Ardenwald and Johnson Creek Neighborhood Association approved a proposal for the City to install a gravel and barkdust path at the east end of Sherrett Street. And more speed humps are to be built on 32nd Avenue. We voted to ask that money or resources be found to complete the entire project this summer instead of piecemeal as money is available.

Please Drive Carefully.



Ardenwald residents line up early for the Earth Day clean up event on April 8



This resident took full advantage of the free dumpsters at the event

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AROUND

HECTOR CAMPBELL

Written by Chris Ortolano, Chair

NEXT MEETING'S INFO: When: May 8, 8 p.m.

Where: Hector Campbell Elementary

Storm clouds linger over a divided city on a bright sunny day.

Unanswered questions are replaced with new ones and we wonder...what tears at the soul of our town?

We recognize the endless hours of hard work put in by City staff and civic leaders, and still yearn to be included at the ground level...before assumptions and decisions have been made.

Our neighborhood recommends a radical shift towards true community based decision making to avoid further tension and polarity. This can only be

done with outside help, from a neutral third party, that has years of experience in the art of facilitation, conflict resolution and mediation.

We know how to contact these professionals if the City is willing to participate. At the very least we need a task force to help restore a balance of power to those issues which we care about deeply. Too many potential roadblocks remain undecided to assume that we can work things out with the same old decision making style.

Do we need to make the same mistakes over and over again? Let's get outside help before it's too late.

Looking up we sense the possibility for a rainbow to quide us... towards the abundant rewards we reap when we can truly learn to work together.

LINWOOD

Written by Tracy Cook, Linwood Chair

NEXT MEETING'S INFO:

When: May 24, 7 p.m.

Where: Linwood Elementary

Well do I have egg on my face. I guess Spring Break just got me all confused about dates, times and places. So to those of you that made the effort to show up for the meeting during Spring Break I truly apologize. It was totally my error but we are back on track for April.

So needless to say, since we did not have a meeting in March I can't give you a run down on what occurred. We were going to talk about the Junior High site, so that topic has been held over and will be the issue discussed at our next meeting. Which will be April 27, 2000.

I am positive on that date. I have double and triple checked.

We also need to start working on the Annual Bar-B-Que. Summer will be here before you know it. Anyone who wants to volunteer please let us know. As you may know these kinds of events can use all the help they can get.

Our other topic will be recruiting new officers for the Neighborhood Association and the Land Use Committee. So if you think you might like to get involved with your City please come and join us. If your good at keeping dates straight, than your our person. But seriously, right now our Neighborhood Association is working with an acting chair and an acting secretary. At the end of this month there will only be one of us carrying the torch for the Linwood Neighborhood. So if you have a hankering to get involved, come on down.

ISLAND STATION

NEXT MEETING'S INFO:

When: May 5, 6:30 p.m. Where: Milwaukie Grange

It looks like April is going to be a busy month for the Island Station Neighborhood Association.

First of all, Island Station residents will be celebrating Down to Earth Day on May 6, 2000 with an event that focuses on helping residents that need a hand cleaning up their yards.

As Neighborhood Chair Rick Farasy put it, residents who could use "a couple strong backs" to help out with some yard maintenance should call Nolan Chard at XXX-XXX or Charles Bird at 653-0857.

And then on May 20, 2000, residents are encouraged to meet at the entrance of Spring Park at 9 p.m. for the first Elk Rock cleanup event.

Rick says that the Neighborhood Association is aiming to make the cleanup a quarterly event. The entrance of the park is located on 19th Avenue and Spar-

NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

ARDENWALD AND JOHNSON CREEK

Meetings held on second Tuesdays 6:30 p.m., Ardenwald School

Chair, Darlene Walsh, 786-2076 Vice Chair, Phil Nelson, 654-6783

HECTOR CAMPBELL

Meetings held on second Mondays 8 p.m., Hector Campbell School Chair, Chris Ortolano, 353-3000

HISTORIC MILWAUKIE

Meetings held on second Thursdays 7 p.m., Milwaukie Elementary Chair, Ed Zumwalt, 654-2493 Vice Chair, VACANT

ISLAND STATION

Meetings held on first Fridays 6:30 p.m., Grange Hall Chair, Rick Farasy, 283-4003

LAKE ROAD

Meetings held on third Thursdays 7 p.m., Rowe Middle School

Co-Chair, Patty Wisner, 654-7468 Co-Chair, Teresa Bresaw, 654-4690

LEWELLING

Meetings held on first Thursdays 7 p.m., Lewelling Elementary Acting Chair, Jean Michel, 654-8379 Acting Chair, Art Ball, 786-4016

LINWOOD

Meetings held on fourth Thursdays 7 p.m., Linwood Elementary

Acting Chair, Tracy Cook, 654-2946

row Street, and volunteers should be bring some trash bags for the debris that will be lifted from the Island.

Looking toward Island Station's May 5, 2000 meeting that will be held in the Milwaukie Grange, Rick encourages residents to start thinking about the annual Festival Daze Parade and what the Island Station float might look like.

Rick says that there have already been a lot of good ideas kicked around, but he's hoping even more residents will come out and share their ideas.



City Events Calendar

May 2000

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
***	6:00pm Budget Committee Meeting with Council (PSB, Community Room)	6:00pm City Council Regular Session (MCH)		7:00pm Lewelling NDA (Lewelling Elementary Library)	6:30pm Island Station NDA (Grange Hall)	Down to Earth Day Collection sites at Linwood Elementary and Lewelling Elementary, Rowe Jr. High
MILWAURIE	1	2	3	4	5	8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. 6
MCH - Milwaukie City Hall, 10722 SE Main Street PSB - Public Safety Building, 3200 SE Harrison Street	6:30pm Riverfront Board (MCH) 8:00pm Hector Campbell	6:30pm Planning Commission Regular Session (MCH)	7:30am MDDA Board	7:00pm Historic Milwaukie NDA (Milwaukie Elementary)	10:00am Center/ Community Advisory Board (MC)	
JCB - Public Works Building, 6101 SE Johnson Creek Blvd. MC - Milwaukie Center, 5440 SE Kellogg Creek Drive	NDA (Hector Campbell School)	6:30pm Ardenwald NDA (Ardenwald Elementary)		6:00pm Budget Committee (MCH)	Milwaukie Museum Open House	
7	8	9	10	11	^{3 to 8 p.m.} 12	13
	6:00pm City Council Discussion Session (MCH) 6:30pm City Council	6:00pm City Council Regular Session (MCH)				Elk Rock Clean Up Event
	Work Session (MCH)					Spring Park Entrance 9 a.m.
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Farmers Market 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.	7:00pm Parks & Recreation Board (MCH)	6:30pm Planning Commission work session (MCH)		7:00pm Linwood NDA (Linwood Elementary)		
Across from City Hall	6:30pm Library Board (Library)					
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Farmers Market 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Across from City Hall			Downtown and Riverfront Town Hall Milwaukie High School Commons	Check the City's	Web Site at www.cityo	ofmilwaukie.org
28	29	30	6:30 p.m. 31			

Don't Forget Down to Earth Day!

Down to Earth Day will be held on Saturday, May 6, 2000 and collection sites will be at: Linwood Elementary

Rowe Junior High School

Seth Lewelling Elementary

Sites will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Types of materials that will be accepted:

Discarded furniture, unmounted tires, scrap
metal, yard debris, general trash

The City also provides curbside service for disabled and elderly residents.

Call Program Services Coordinator JoAnn Herrigel at 786-7508 to make arrangements.

Results from April's Poll Question

In April, we asked Milwaukie residents if they would support a bond measure for the purchase and preservation of the Milwaukie Junior High Site and surrounding grounds. Here's what you told us:

8 Callers said they would support a bond

14 Callers said they would not support a bond

Because of the importance of this issue, we ask this same question for May's Poll Question. Please call 786-7503 and leave us your response if you haven't done so already.

Meeting Broadcast Information:

City Council Work Sessions: Channel 30 Tues., Thurs., Sat.: 10 a.m., 2 p.m. 7 p.m, 2 a.m.

City Council Regular Sessions: Channel 30 Sun., Mon., Wed., Fri.: 6 a.m., 2 p.m., 7 p.m. 12 a.m.

Budget Committee Meetings: Channel 33 Fri., 4 p.m., 10 p.m.; Sat., 9 a.m., 4 p.m., 11 p.m.; Sun.12:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 9 p.m.

The City of Milwaukie looks forward to any questions or suggestions you might have. Please drop us a line or give us a call.



Neighborhood Services 10722 SE Main Street Milwaukie, Oregon 97222

Phone: 786-7503 email: wheelerg@ci.milwaukie.or.us



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